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Trout Are Plentiful This Year

"Windsor Hotel,"
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The Ideal Fishing Resort

Come and get acquainted, and you will want to come back.

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Fresh Country Eggs always procurable. Take a few dozen home with your basket of trout.

Fred Bobokoski, the three year old son of a farmer near Retlaw, was killed by the falling of a barn door. The door had been propped up against the barn for the purpose of fitting same, when the little lad disturbed the stay and the heavy door fell upon him and crushed him to death.

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Visitors. "And do you like to go to church, my little man?"

Minister's Son: "I should think I do. Why, it's just grand to hear papa talking for an hour and mamma never allowed to say a word."

Germany To Offer Peace

Expected To Make Offer To Return To Status Quo

London, June 21.—Endeavors of central powers to conclude peace with Russia, on the basis of no annexations and no indemnities having proved abortive, it is expected, according to high authority, that Germany will make an immediate attempt to obtain peace before the end of July. The proposals will probably be directed toward re-establishing territorial boundaries in Europe as they existed before the war. Crops in Germany are suffering severely from drought and all in-

dications point to terrible hardship being experienced there, which will be accentuated by the lateness of the harvest. Added to this is the fact that food shortage in Great Britain is over for this summer. Shortage of ships, regarded in the light of complete figures of losses from submarines, is causing less pessimism, and it is confidently expected that the output of new tonnage will soon be such as to move, though inversely, the rate of loss through sinking.

School Board in Deadlock

Chairman of Trustees Votes Down Teachers' Applications For Increase in Salaries.

The trustees of Blairmore school district held a special meeting last evening to consider applications from teachers for increase of salaries. There were present, Chairman Beebe, S. Mason, J. F. Hunter and W. J. Bartlett.

Applications were read from the principal, C. R. Pearson, and Misses Fulton, Darrach, Keith and Foster, each stating their willingness to sign up for another year on condition of a \$100 raise in their salary.

A motion made by J. F. Hunter and seconded by W. J. Bartlett, that the principal's application be accepted, was declared defeated.

A second motion, to the effect that all applications be accepted, granting the \$100 increase all round, was also declared defeated.

Blairmore has the reputation of paying the smallest teachers' salaries in the province of Al-

berta, and that in a district which should be in the best possible position of any part of the province to pay respectable stipends.

At the meeting yesterday it was pointed out that both principals and teachers in other parts of the province, although receiving salaries at the present time which are considerably larger than those paid here, are demanding increase of salaries for the coming year, and as there is a great shortage of teachers it is reasonable to expect to have to pay substantial increases in salaries.

Letters were received from Miss Sara McColm, of Killam, accepting a position as primary teacher for the coming year.

Accepts Call To Central Union Church

Ordination and Induction Services on Thursday Next

At the evening service at Central Union church on Sunday night last, the congregation expressed themselves unanimous in a call to the Rev. James Fulton, of Edmonton, as their pastor for the coming year. Rev. Fulton has accepted the call.

The ordination and induction service will be held on Thursday evening next at 8.00, when

Rev. Mr. Kennedy, of Macleod; Rev. W. F. Burus, of lethbridge; Rev. Dr. Ferguson, of Calgary; Rev. D. K. Allan, of Coleman, and other preachers will be present. Rev. Mr. Kennedy will be the preacher and address the new pastor, while Rev. Mr. Allan, as moderator, will address the people. A meeting of the presbytery will be held in the afternoon at 3.00

R. Dawson, district passenger agent for the C.P.R., with headquarters in Calgary, spent Tuesday in Frank, the guest of Mrs. Mark Drumm.

The Professor's Bulletin
No. 25. "No smoking NOR spitting allowed." In this notice, the form "nor" would be correct if the wording were, "Neither smoking nor spitting allowed." However, "nor" and "either" are two words which, with few exceptions, must be used together. However, in such prohibitory notices as the one above, it is better to use the adjective "nor" in the form of a contraction, should be "OR" rather than "nor." It is for this reason that the introduction, "no" negative both "smoking" and "spitting" has been omitted. Note also that the use of "you" in the above notice is really equivalent to the employment of a "double negative."

"The Professor."

The Sacrifice Sale

Continues

Those who purchased goods at our store during this sale went away

Satisfied—Be One of Them

50 Pieces only left of Assorted Prints, Ginghams, Crepes, Voiles, Flannellets, regular 25 and 40c per yard, to go at 15c per yard.

25 Pieces Voiles, regular 50c per yard, to go at 25c yard Silk and Wool Voiles, regular 60c per yard, to go at 40c

Serges, Broadcloths, Whiteford Wool, Shepherd Checks, regular \$1.00 yard, on sale for 75c.

100 Pieces of embroideries and Lace to go at 5c per yd. Men's and Ladies' Suits, Coats, Shoes, Boots, Hats and Caps, Shirts, Underwear, etc., at Sale Prices.

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THE STORE THAT SELLS FOR LESS

I am determined

to give you Best Value in Butter at 35c pound.

Tea **OPERATORS** inform us

Pieces will be higher. Buy now, 24 lbs Blue Ribbon \$1.00

When you DON'T know what

to get for lunch let us suggest something in canned goods

We can GIVE you Low Prices on Flour

TORSO insures A quick wash day

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No more DAMAGED Clothing.

Torsco preserves them.

Creston Strawberries in soon. Leave your orders. Everything in Groceries at Lowest Prices

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No Wonder We Are Always Busy at This Market

It does not take people long to find out that here they get the largest variety of everything that should be kept in a Meat Market, and that our prices are such as to make the buyer glad. If you are not already enjoying the benefits of doing business with us, we invite you to trade with us

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Plumber, Steamfitter, Tinsmith,
Light Hardware & Enamelware

All work promptly attended to.

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AGRICULTURAL & LIVE STOCK EXHIBITION - RACE MEET BASEBALL TOURNAMENT

:-: NIGHT STREET CARNIVAL :-:

Medicine Hat, July 10, 11, 12 and 13

FIVE GREAT SHOWS IN ONE

\$25,000 IN PRIZES

100 Hours of Continuous Fun

-: All Profits For Patriotic Purposes :-:

Auto Transportation from City to Grounds 25c.
Asleep/Sleeping Accommodation at Regular Fixed Charges
Cheap Rates on All Railroads.
For Prize List and other particulars write G. W. McClelland, Secretary

"TURN 'ER LOOSE!"

Soldiers Are Learning to Farm

A "Census of Inmates" Now Being Taken at the Front

While Private Citizen Smith and Private Citizen Brown are discussing and wondering "whether the stars align" to make it go for them, Private Soldier Smith and Private Soldier Brown are—doing it.

Not all the soldiers have returned, but they can tell that many soldiers are likely to take up land and farm it. The chances are that the soldier will be a good farmer, so it is suggested that the schemes for helping them will be so developed and worked as to make it pay.

A census is now being taken among Canadian soldiers overseas, and on this basis a good estimate can be made of the number agriculturally inclined.

The card issued by the Canadian Services Commission includes spaces to be filled up with each man's name, age, unit, rank, address, date of birth, unit, P.O. address before enlistment and Provost number.

The card is to be filled in and mailed to the Canadian Service Commission, which will then advise you whether you are eligible to receive the following:

"Which are you, married, single or widower?"

"What is your address of last employer before enlistment?"

"How many dependents have you? State relationship, sex and age of each."

"What were you working at?"

"Are you a trained professional?"

If so, what?"

"Is your old position good for you or are you lost in Canada in its conditions?"

"Do you wish to take your discharge in Great Britain?"

"Do you propose to make your home in Canada after the war?"

"Do you plan to take up farming as an occupation?"

"Have you ever worked on a farm?"

"How much money do you expect to have at your disposal on your return?"

"Do you desire to take advantage of any available scheme of assisted agricultural settlement?"

"If so, what?"

"Do you, if necessary, to gain experience, work for prevailing wages on a farm after your return, provided you are dependent, or in the meanwhile given the same support as they now receive?"

Many soldiers are already back among us who have been invalidated home. Men recovering from shell or gas injuries are not enough to prevent their return to the firing line, do not at first feel like taking up the strenuous life of a farmer.

No one need be afraid of the military farming force is already on the spot. Several months ago, four returned soldiers in Alberta entered the Agricultural College at the Provincial Agricultural Schools, at Vermilion. Today, the records of the college show that 150 men have shown that 75 men have had their application granted for agricultural training, and 100 others are in the Disabled Soldiers' Training Board and awaiting admission.

Of these 75, many as 37 are in Alberta, 22 in Saskatchewan, 14 in Manitoba, 10 in Ontario and other two in British Columbia. An admirable proportion is specifically proportioned for agriculture.

The Training Board, it may be explained, consists of a Vocational Officer, a Medical Officer, and a Financial Officer. The Vocational Officer of the Provincial Commission established to help returned soldiers in finding employment, has been granted as unable, owing to any effect of his service, to take up his former occupation, or to find a new one, the principle of the Government's Re-education Scheme. That is, he is entitled to receive free training and re-education, along with free maintenance for himself and his family while the

training lasts, and for a month long even.

The number of returned men who have gone out on the land independent is large. For instance, the Medicine Hat Branch of the Alberta Provincial Commission has 11 returned soldiers in that district alone who are known to have taken up land and are engaged in agriculture. Most varied are the farms, from shell shock; one has defective hands, another has a broken leg, another the loss of an arm, due to gas. Three, including a man with one hand, are at work on their respective farms, and one is engaged in the care of the farm of another relative. There are housekeepers of their own. One has a course of instruction in Gas Tracing Engineering presently. There are others who are engaged in training and one has taken up fruit and chicken farming in British Columbia.

To provide for the increasing number of returned men who have received agricultural training, the government of Alberta has arranged to keep one school in operation throughout the year. In the ordinary course, these schools are closed during the winter November 1.

One chosen is situated at Olds, 58 miles north of Calgary, on the Edmonton line. There, the men will receive twelve months of instruction, with the option of taking either continuously for a summer and a winter, or two winters alternately, or a winter followed by an interval which can be spent on a farm.

In addition, the commission has made arrangements by which the returned men will be trained at the Agricultural College at the Provincial University, Saskatoon, for courses of instruction, shorter and more intensive than those provided for the ex-soldiers.

In addition, the Military Hospital Commission has taken over the old Agricultural College at the Provincial University, Saskatoon, for courses of instruction, shorter and more intensive than those provided for the ex-soldiers.

The question is now entering on an acute phase. The devastation which the Germans wrought in the country through their policy of scorched earth, taken up on a large scale there, with the co-operation of the Produce Advertising Council, has been extended to the populous Lens mining district. Behind it stretches the Lille-Lens area, where the field battle for partly disabled men at the marketing end of the business, grading, and in the grading and packing of poultry.

There is no way open to us, if we are to prevent another such catastrophe as France has suffered at Lens, if it is evidently the present intention of the Germans to reinforce back through this area, to devastate the whole of it. How can we meet this emergency? What threats by individual governments is really ineffective. The most definite and firm stand would be the resolution passed by the French senate on March 31, after the devastating raid on Lens, that the enemy be forced from this area, to carry out the far worse devastation of Lens, and that the Allies, with our hope on a resort to reprisals. Our proposal for the sinking of the Gloucestershire, Caledon, and the Freiburg—has impressed us, to be quite frank, as once irrelevant and ineffective.

Therefore, the best hope lies in the hope for developing this line; the few large German towns open to such raids will have an excellent opportunity to have any real voice in shaping German policy; and it remains as true that though the German people are not yet fully aware of the situation, the trials is one which a conscientious power like Germany can always play upon the Allies.

The Freiburg raid will stop all attacks on hospital ships, and we are anxious to see that the Allies do not let another such attack has taken place.

There is no way open to us, if we are to prevent another such terrible catastrophe on our populations and our ships, but the way of a coalition of all the Allies, and the world.

It ought to have been taken long ago, and the world would have had to the number of the Allied nations and their internal conflicts and perhaps caused fatal results, but it is now too late to do anything but to do our best to overcome that difficulty. This is the same kind of difference that exists between comprehensive and specific; it ought to catalog and de-nounce the whole extent of enemy power, and then to threaten that if future crimes, to name specific penalties. The latter should be as severe as possible, and should be accompanied by the legal destruction of the towns concerned, and might be the destruction of twice as many of similar German power.

The German people, I think, will commonly argue against this course. One is, that such events may not impress us, and that the world would reply that a threat does not depend for its effect on the certainty that it will be carried out.

The fact that the Allies had publicly pledged themselves to do their best to prevent the further conduct of the war, at the present stage of the war, mean a very great deal, I think.

Secondly, it must be urged that two wrongs do not make a right, and that the destruction of Westphalia in retaliation for Lille and Cambrai would be a violation of international law.

Thirdly, one would wonder, if the threat worked (as we believe it would) no such action would be necessary; whereas if it did not, and the Germans carried out to the bitter end their policy of scorched earth,

then we have embarrased, its moral damage suffered by the world through failure to exact a penalty in kind.

Few Feet Didn't Do It

General Rules to Observe in Order to Win a Wad Off Gold

We all know about wet feet and drafts, but these are only two ways of taking cold, and many people are not aware that heat is just as susceptible to either of them.

The first step is to study yourself, and to learn what makes you susceptible. There are some of the most common causes for colds: Bad work, fatigue, damp clothing, air-chill.

A little common sense will teach us that most of these causes our colds are attributable. If it is bad air, avoid it. If it is damp clothing, dry off. If it is fatigue that weakens your resistance, take extra care of your health, go to bed early, and when you get up, eat lightly and take something very hot to drink. Rest well and go to sleep good well up.

Man of business—I can spare you a few cents, but, you know, my time is money.

Gentlemen of Leisure—I shall be happy to take it in that form, sir.

" Didn't her constant singing in the flat annoy you much as the constant flat?"

"Her's a sailor says he raised chickens on the voyage. Where do you suppose he did it?"

"In the hairway, of course."

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Start ADVERTISING !NOW!

Stagnation of one's business is greatly to be feared and greatly to be avoided. Action—an effort to get ahead—keeps a business healthy, wealthy and wise.

Visible action is advertising in the local weekly paper—a fresh advertisement each week. The preparation and publication of a new advertisement is a sure indication of business energy.

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Ahead By
Planning Ahead !

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For The Benefit of Widows
and Orphans of Victims of
Coal Creek Mine Disaster

A Soldier's Prayer

[The following beautiful verses were found on the body of a dead soldier in France. While everything indicates that they were written by a soldier—possibly by the dead man from whom they were taken—it does seem a pity that the authorship of such beautiful lines may never be established.]

We had forgotten You or very nearly,
You did not seem to touch us very nearly;
Especially in time of trouble;—
We know that You were good in time of trouble,
But we are very ordinary men.

And there were always other things to think of;
There's lots of things a man has got to think of;
His work, his wife, his pleasure, and his wife;
And so, we used to think, on Sunday afternoons—
Something, perhaps, not even on a Sunday.
Because there's always lots to fill one's life.

And all the while, in street or lane or byway,
In country lane in city street or byway.

You walked among us, and we did not see;
Your feet were bleeding as You walked our pavements,
How could we see?—we were so engrossed in our own interests?

Can there be other folk as blind as we?

Now we remember over here in Flanders

(It isn't strange to think of You in Flanders);

This hideous warfare seems to make things clear,
We never thought about You much in England,
But now that we are far away from England,
We know that You are here, and we are here.

You helped us pass the jest along the trenches,
Where in cold blood are wasted in the trenches.

You touched its ribaldry and made it fine,
You stood beside us in our pain and weakness,
We're glad to think You understand our weakness;

Somehow it seems to help us not to whine.

We took the last knapsack in the garb,
All, till the money was gone, and the clothes.

We know You prayed for us upon the cross;
If anything could make us glad to bear it,

It would be the knowledge that You willed to bear it.

Pain—death—the interment of human loss.

Though we loathe You, You will not forget us;

We feel so sure that You will not forget us;

But stay with us until our dreams is past;

And so we wait for example, strength, and pluck,

Especially, I think, we ask for pardon;

And that You'll stand beside us to the last.

Bellevue Happenings

Mrs. Harry Harrison is visiting in Calgary.

James Watson paid a visit to Michel this week.

Mrs. Harry Orr was in from South Fork this week.

R. T. Johnson spent Sunday at Lundbreck Falls fishing.

James Burrows returned to Columbia Gardens this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. W. Woodhouse were visiting in Fernie this week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. McDonald moved to Lethbridge and back on Wednesday.

Enough Williams, a former resident of Bellevue, was down from Wyndell this week.

Mrs. George Skelding, who had been visiting in Lethbridge, returned home this week.

Medames A. Burye, F. Henson and J. Couzens were visitors to Colesburg during the week.

A picnic was given at Mrs. J. B. Budd's ranch during the week, and was attended by quite a number of people.

Rev. and Mrs. A. J. Law paid good-bye to the people of Bellevue on Monday evening and left for their new appointment at Forestburg.

A miner named Riley, who sustained two broken legs in a mine near Lundbreck, was brought up here for hospital treatment under Dr. MacKenzie this week.

Mr. Flouret, one of the men called by the French government at the outbreak of the war, is home on 21 days furlough. He has been at the front over two years.

The memorial service held in the Methodist church on Sunday evening last was largely attended. About forty members of the local Oddfellows' Lodge assembled at their hall and paraded to the church, where they listened to an appropriate sermon delivered by Rev. A. J. Law. The village of Bellevue, with a population of more than seven hundred, has contributed 117 men to the fighting forces. Of this number 34 are members of the Oddfellows' local lodge, of whom three have already paid the supreme sacrifice.

Dr. Rose and party returned the early part of the week from the upper North Fork and leave tomorrow for the Elk Valley.

Sheriff's Sale

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

To Wert:

By virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of the Supreme Court of Alberta, at the instance of

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA, Plaintiff,

and to me directed against the lands of Eusebio Moreno, Archie Macleod, Harry Smith and Michael Rose,

I have seized and taken into Execution the following lands, situated in Block Four (4), Plan 3101 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot Nine (9), Block Four (4), Plan 3101 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot Eleven (11), Block Four (4), Plan 3101 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot Twelve (12), Block Four (4), Plan 3101 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot Eighteen (18), Block Four (4), Plan 3101 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot Twenty-Two (22), Block Four (4), Plan 3101 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Lots Thirteen (13), Fourteen (14) and Fifteen (15), Block Twenty-Eight (28), Plan 3319 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot Twenty-Six (26), Block Twenty-Eight (28), Plan 3319 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot Thirty-Seven (37), Block Twenty-Eight (28), Plan 3319 L., Blairmore, Alberta.

Unvalued half interest in Archie Macleod's land in North-East quarter of Section Twenty-Six (26), Township Seven (7), Range Four (4), West of the Townsite of Blairmore, Alberta, the same, or less, subject to the reservations and conditions contained in the original grant from the Crown, or in the existing certificate of title, which I shall exhibit for sale on Friday, 26th day of June, 1917, at the house of Archie Macleod, Alberta, at the hour of twelve o'clock noon.

A. B. MACLEOD, Sheriff.
Macleod Judicial District.

SHERIFF'S OFFICE
April 17th, 1917.

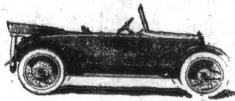
NOTICE To Light Consumers

The Town of Blairmore will, on and after the 1st of July next, sell Electric Current by the Kilowatt Hour to all consumers who put in meters.

Fiat rates will go into effect on the same date, but will be considerably increased over the present schedule.

All rates will be payable in advance, and a deposit of 25c per drop will be charged to all those using meters.

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Agents for Crows' Nest Pass.

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Thursday, July 5th, 1917

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Bellevue, Alta., Fri., June 22, 1917

Is Lord Kitchener Alive?

Is Lord Kitchener now a prisoner in Germany? This, at least, is the conclusion that many friends of Mrs. C. Fellowes, of Calgary, have drawn from a letter received by her later from her nephew, now a prisoner in Germany. He was formerly an officer on the Hampshire, on which Lord Kitchener was said to have been taken to Germany.

Mrs. Fellowes' nephew was supposed to have been drowned with the sinking of the Hampshire. He had seen much service in the British navy prior to sailing with Lord Kitchener and was holding a post of importance on the official staff of the vessel at the time of departure. His rank in the naval service was of at least one more, and was believed to be dead. A letter from him in his own hand-writing tells that he is a prisoner in Germany.

"I tell you would give \$10,000 to know who is a prisoner here with me. I would tell you if it were not for the fact that my letter would be destroyed if I did."

These are the words written by the nephew, which have caused the belief among his friends in Calgary that Lord Kitchener is referred to, especially in view of the fact that the young man was an officer on the vessel in which Kitchener was supposed to have lost his life, and because he himself was supposed to have been drowned and was not known to be alive. The letter was sent to Mrs. Fellowes until a few weeks ago.

The information was received by Mrs. Fellowes, who is a resident of Elbow Park, Calgary.

The officer who wrote the mysterious message which conveys the impression was formerly a resident of Vancouver, B.C.

A Belgian Children's Fund in Holland

The committee of the "Grave de la Sante de l'Enfance Belge" in Holland, moved by the desire of helping every child in Belgium among the little children in Belgium, since August, 1916, and with the permission of the German authorities organized the bringing of starved, consumptive, rickety, emaciated little children from Belgium into Holland where they are cared for, housed, intensively fed, medically attended and clothed for a period averaging six weeks, until they are restored to health. They are then returned to their parents in Belgium, having gained in weight some 2 to 3 kilos.

Unfortunately it is not possible to do more for lack of funds, for there are about 100,000 children in Belgium who are still dying waiting in Belgium for their turn to go to Holland, and the number increases weekly and especially since the deportations of slavery. Only a partial alleviation of the suffering of these poor little children is possible, and the amount available for the funds made in Canada on the carrying on of this work and perhaps extending it, will not be made available.

From the point of humanity the little children of Belgium should be helped in obtaining sympathy and relief, and you need only picture to yourself what you would do, were your child dying of starvation, to decide whether you will assist in this work.

You have the power of vision, remember that these children represent Belgium's future, and that this generation will have to build up the Belgium to come. How can it be done with a race of children whose most important years have been passed in conditions of starvation and sickness?

All donations to be sent to the Belgian Consul-General, Ottawa, (Ont.), (marked "Grave de la Sante de l'Enfance Belge.")

That the proposals agreed on by

the miners of the district with R. F. Green, M.P., are likely to go into effect if the government takes charge of the mines is the opinion among the union officials. This is considered a significant view by the men and is more than likely possible as the proposals were put forward by Mr. Green himself and following their acceptance by the miners would probably form the basis for the report presented by

the government. So far as the men themselves are concerned the management or control of the mines is not a factor of great importance and they will comply with the demands of the government as they would be the operators in control.

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The Exile

(From the Listening Post.)

I'm home-sick for the Prairie, I hunger

for the Plains,

I'm aching for the Coyotes at midnight

and the stars,

I'm longing for the Homeland, and it

hides me in its trail.

To those wins, sweet and joyous, are

my all.

I've wandered far, and I have seen

the world of misery,

The world of the crimson soil

This shields the mighty dead.

I am hungry for the Plains,

The peaceful, virgin soil,

That lets me hold my head high,

R. W. Trowdale, 1316, 1st Canadian

Continent.

If recites also the clauses of that act which render the militia liable to be sent for service or out of Canada for the defense thereof.

It then proceeds to explain that the militia is to be used in the enforcement of those who otherwise would be producers in Canada and to the necessity of maintaining production at the highest possible limit under such circumstances, the drafting of men as provided in the Militia Act is unique and improvident and that the men now required should be secured by private means.

The bill provides for securing re-inforcements which unless parliamentary further authorizations are not to exceed 100,000 men.

It sets out ten distinct classes from which drafts may be selected. These classes will be called out in the order named. They are as follows:

Class 1—Those who are married or widowers over the age of 20 years and were born earlier than the year 1894 and are unmarried or are widowers but have no children.

Class 2—Those who were born in the years 1895 to 1898 both inclusive and are unmarried or are widowers who have no children.

Class 3—Those who are born in the years 1899 to 1902 both inclusive and are unmarried or are widowers but have no children.

Class 4—Those who have attained the age of 20 years and were born in the year 1894 and were born in the year 1895 to 1898 both inclusive and are married or are widowers who have child or children.

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Plan Ten Classes

Of Conscripts

The following official explanation of the selective conscription act has been given out by the government: It is called the military service act of 1917. This is the name given the similar measure in Great Britain and New Zealand.

Sir Robert Borden's bill commences with the recall of the compiler's services provisions of the militia act passed in 1913.

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OF LOCAL AND GENERAL INTEREST

Several Lethbridge families are camping out in this neighborhood.

Mrs. Adams, of Lethbridge, is spending a brief holiday in Blairmore.

Thirty-six hundred Canadians have enlisted during the past fortnight.

Mrs. Pankhurst is now in Petrograd, explaining to Russians attitude of British Democracy towards war.

Pte. E. Broadwell, of Pincher Creek, has been killed in action. He enlisted with the Lethbridge militia.

Hon. W. J. Hanna, of the Ontario cabinet, has been appointed food controller for Canada. He takes the job without salary.

Mrs. C. Harrison writes to state that Joe Moderger, and Mrs. Smith were not guests of hers over a recent week end, as reported last week.

Judging from the reports, the fish in the upper waters of the Rocky Mountain rivers are well entrenched, for practically no captures have been made.

F. W. Godsal, of Cowley, has sold the remaining 1,140 acres of his ranch to the Douchobors. Mr. Godsal has been a resident of Cowley district since 1882.

Private Joseph Thornley, of Pincher Creek, former employee of The Blairmore Enterprise, has been wounded in action. He enlisted with the 192nd at Blairmore.

Members of Crow's Nest Encampment are reminded of the regular meeting on Wednesday next, at which the officers for the coming term will be installed.

Private Darby, who has been a patient for several months at the Frank military hospital, left for his home in Saskatchewan on Monday, accompanied by Mrs. Darby.

New Brunswick provincial parliament has adopted a resolution in favor of negotiating with Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Island relative to the formation of a legislative union of the Maritime provinces.

Quite a number of tourists from different parts of the province have been passing through The Pass during the week, and we understand quite a tent town has been established at Crow's Nest and the Lake.

A grand dance will be given in the opera house on Friday night next week, under the auspices of the Western Canadian Coal Mine Officials Association for the benefit of the Coal Creek Explosion Fund. The gross proceeds of the dance will be given to the fund.

We congratulate Mr. T. Gardner on his getting away from singleblessedness and entering upon the sea of matrimonial troubles. Mr. Gardner was married about a week ago, and visited friends in Blairmore the same day he returned home to Regina from his honeymoon trip.

John D. Rockefeller, Jr., multi-millionaire in his own right, and son of the world's first billionaires, led Billy Sunday's audience in prayer at New York. He said: "We thank Thee Lord that there are so many men and women in this city who are not interested in the deeper things of the spirit. Money is not the object of this man of God." (meaning Sunday.) "He is hungering and thirsting for souls." The prayer was punctuated by low voiced "amen's" from Billy.

Miss Katie Banmer returns to Cowley tonight.

Mrs. Oscar Olsen left last night for her home in Winnipeg.

Wifred Wolstenholme has purchased a new 1917 Chevrolet.

Private Richard Harrison returned from Calgary this week.

Cari Banmer was up from Lundbyck yesterday on a brief visit.

Mr. Pay returned last night to Blairmore, after spending a week in The Pass.

Many a man's wife dresses stylishly because his creditors can afford it.

Mr. and Mrs. N. T. Gardner, of Regina, paid Blairmore a visit on Wednesday.

Miss V. Ayling returned Monday morning from a visit to Macleod and Lethbridge.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Stubbs of Lethbridge, will spend the summer months in Blairmore.

Twenty-seven British ships of over 1,600 tons each have been sunk during the week.

Some kinds of love may grow cold, but the kind a man has for himself never does.

Sub warfare victims total nearly five hundred ships of all sizes since February 17th last.

Mrs. Philip LaChance, of Macleod, in visiting Mr. and Mrs. H. Aile for a few weeks.

Mr. W. Howe, of Faith, came to town this week to attend the marriage of his daughter.

Mrs. W. Wolstenholme and children have returned from a two month's visit to the coast.

Mrs. Anderson received a wire from Monday, stating that her brother had met death by drowning near Brooks, Alta. Mrs. Anderson left for Brooks by the evening train.

C. B. Pearson went to Pincher Creek on Sunday night, where he is this week supervising the school examinations. Mr. Black, of Coleman, is conducting the exams in Blairmore.

The British house of commons has decided that the age qualifying women to vote should be thirty. Such a decision should almost exclude women from the franchise, for they seldom reach that age.

A meeting of the town council was held on Friday night last. The main subject of the evening was the new light franchise, which is being taken up by the West Canadian Collieries Co.

There's really no knowing what a Ford car can accomplish. A fellow reported a few days ago having discovered the loss of a back wheel on his arrival in Blairmore and was obliged to go back to the side to pick it up.

The military hospitals commission's report shows that there were 7,145 members of the Canadian expeditionary forces under medical treatment in the Dominion on June 8. The total number was made up of 5,889 convalescents, 346 patients at sanatoria for tuberculosis, and 408 in other institutions.

An exchange tells of a newspaper reporter who interviewed thirty successful business men and found that all of them when boys had been governed strictly and frequently thrashed. He also interviewed thirty leaders and learned that twenty-seven of them had been "mamma's darling" and the other three had been reared by their grandmothers.

A man isn't mighty because he never falls, but because of his ability to rise when he tumbles.

When it comes to raising vegetables the amateur gardener isn't in it with the neighbor's hen.

A married man says there is evidently no room to a wife's mind, as he gets a piece of it every day.

Major Dimmick, of Pincher Creek, who has recently attained the rank of major, is recommended for the V.C.

The ratepayers of Nobleford have decided upon the erection of a new school, the estimated cost of same to be \$10,000.

We beg to draw the attention of our readers to the advertisement of the P. M. Brett Co., appearing elsewhere in these columns.

J. W. McNicoll of the Trustland Guarantee Co., was in town yesterday on business in connection with the affairs of the Rocky Mountain Cement Co.

It will be news to many grocers that it is illegal under the Alberta liquor act to sell extract of lemon as well as many other extracts used for baking purposes.

An enjoyable dance was held at the home of Mrs. Jungst on Tuesday evening, following the regular weekly meeting of the young women's Red Cross sewing class.

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Mymen is Busy

KAPOURY—MCROBBAN

A pretty wedding took place at Fernie on Wednesday of this week, when Miss Elizabeth Kafoury, eldest daughter of F. S. Kafoury, of Blairmore, was united to Mr. Alexander McFegan, secretary of Blairmore Local Union, U.M.W. of A. The bride was given away by her father. Only a few immediate friends of the contracting parties were present. The happy couple will return to residence in Blairmore. In this way we remember that once before Aleck came very near being captured by a bear.

Howe—MURPHY.

A pretty wedding was solemnized at the Catholic church, Blairmore, at 10 o'clock on Wednesday morning, when Miss Lucy Howe, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Howe, became the wife of Timothy Murphy, of Lethbridge. The bride, who was prettily attired, was given away by her brother, Lance-Corporal Walter Howe. After the ceremony the happy young couple and a number of friends were entertained at luncheon, followed by a reception, and a later entertainment afforded by the tin-can brigade, prior to their departure for Lethbridge, where they will make their home. The best wishes of their many friends, in The Pass go to the two young couples in their launching upon the sea of life?

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Sheriff's Sale

PROVINCE OF ALBERTA

To Wm:

By virtue of a Writ of Execution issued out of the Supreme Court of Alberta, at the suit of

THE ROYAL BANK OF CANADA,

Plaintiff,

Defendant, and to the Justices holding the lands of

John Morino, Archibald Mackay, Harry Smith, and Michael Rose,

I have seized and taken into Execution the following lands, namely :

Lot 12, Range 13, Block Four (4), Plan 2001, Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot 13, Range 13, Block Four (4), Plan 2002, Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot 14, Range 13, Block Four (4), Plan 2003, Blairmore, Alberta.

Lot 15, Range 13, Block Twenty-Eight (28), Plan 2963, Blairmore, Alberta.

Under the direction of Archie MacFie, Esquire, of MacFie & Associates, of Section Twenty-Six (26), Township Six (6), Range Four (4), West of the 5th meridian, for industrial and other purposes, and for the right to construct roads, works, etc., to enable the mineral and power to be used for the said industrial and other purposes.

The said Northwester quarter of Section 8, township 3, range 4, West of the 5th meridian, for industrial and other purposes, and for the right to construct roads, works, etc., to enable the mineral and power to be used for the said industrial and other purposes.

DALEAU at Coleman, Alberta, this 12th day of May, 1917.

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—J.W.—

NOTICE TO CREDITORS AND CLAIMANTS

IN THE ESTATE OF DONALD ALEXANDER SINCLAIR, late of the town of Blairmore, Province of Alberta, Contractor deceased.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that all persons having claims upon the estate of the late Donald Alexander Sinclair, deceased, deceased, on the 12th day of August, 1917, are entitled to file their claims and to have the same heard and determined by the liquidator of his estate, and that after that date the executor will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled to receive them, and that all claims of which notice has been filed or brought to her knowledge.

DATED at Blairmore this 11th day of June, A.D. 1917.

LOUISE G. SINCLAIR,

Executor.

Office of J. E. GILLIS,

Solicitor.

Approved:

Blairmore, Alberta.

—J.W.—

The Cunard liner Ausonia, of 8,133 tons register, was hit by a

torpedo and severely damaged

while on a recent trip from a Canadian port.

All rates will be payable in advance, and a deposit of 25c per drop will be charged to all those using meters.

Cowley Happenings

Glen Bowerman, of Burns, was a Cowley visitor this week.

BORN, to Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Gerry, at Leithbridge, a son.

The fishing season having opened on the Elbow, there are reports of many good catches.

Mrs. Harlan Lank and young son have returned from Calgary. Miss Lowrie, Mrs. Lank's sister, accompanied them.

Several farmers are still hauling grain into the elevators and reaping the reward of waiting. This is the season when patience is rewarded.

"The dance and festive given at the Old Creek school was well attended and resulted in a net sum of sixty-eight dollars being realized for the Red Cross.

Owing to the activity of our local post office, the village is almost depopulated of the canidate tribe. Wonder what will be next after the dance is gone?

Mrs. Arthur Bettis has returned to her home after a prolonged visit to her parents in England. Her return was delayed on account of inability to secure passage, but eventually she was allowed to go and had a good trip.

J. E. Hodson, inspector of schools, was here last week investigating the causes for non-attendance at school of the Douchobor children. Prompt action was taken, and it is hoped that from now on there will be no cause for complaint.

Members of the tennis club are working hard to get the course in shape, and it is expected that there will be a large number of visitors attending the evening matches with the tennis and basketball on the school grounds, together with the new fence, and grove of newly planted trees, giving a good appearance.

A baseball team in Cowley between the married and single men on Saturday night, was carried off by the married by a score of 10 to 5. The battery for the boudinets were Russell, Snyth, P. and Bruce Hodson, G. It is hoped that this will be kept up, as there are few enough happenings of interest since the exodus of young men to the front.

Winners of Silver Medals

The winners of the silver medals given by Dr. Gray are

Grade IX—Harry Hunter.

Grade X—George Robbins.

Grade XI—Jewel MacDonald.

In every case the contest was close, with only a few marks difference in the year's work.

C. R. PEABODY, Principal.

Blairmore Public School.

Germany Near Ruin

London, June 20.—Attempts of German business men to convert kinds of holdings into currency of neutral countries, which are causing a slump in the price on the market, continue to be reported.

It is decided in many quarters that the German financial structure is nearing a wreck, which has been impending since the United States entered the war. This event, it is believed, smashed all belief of neutrals that Germany had any chance to win. Even the *Vorwärts* points out that the continuance of the war assures Germany's ruin.

NOTICE To Light Consumers

The Town of Blairmore will, on and after the 1st of July, next sell Electric Current by the Kilowatt Hour to all consumers who put in meters.

Flat rates will go into effect on the 1st of July, next, but will be considerably increased over the present schedule.

All rates will be payable in advance, and a deposit of 25c per drop will be charged to all those using meters.